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secretaries. The contributor will receive a stamp which will be pasted into his book. The stamps are to be imprinted with the coats of arms of various cities, including those of Western Germany but not those East of the Oder-Neisse line.

6. In Dresden and other cities of Saxony, a Special Section for Meetings has been incorporated into the county committee of the National Front. This special section demands information on all meetings planned by parties, organizations, concerts, businesses, schools and clubs. The various groups are to send in their monthly programs in advance. Similar instructions have been received by owners of hall and meeting facilities, who are required to make known any gatherings which are to take place on their premises. In this way, provisions have been made to prevent meetings from being held without the knowledge of the National Front. The alleged reason for this measure is to avoid conflict in the scheduling of big meetings, but in reality this device will give the SED the opportunity of preventing unwanted meetings by pretending that another demonstration had already been scheduled for the same time, or by disturbing the meeting with hecklers.

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